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1. Shipping traffic in the port of Rostock has been active for the past week. Russian ships have brought about 20,000 tons of grain, which has been pumped into the silos. One freighter arrived twice with grain cargoes in the last ten days. The loading for Rostock is apparently done at Riga.

2. There have been heavy arrivals of reparations goods at Rostock by rail, which Soviet vessels have been loading for return cargoes. Inscriptions on some of the cases were as follows:

25X1 V/O STANKOIMPORT NARYAD ZAKAS [REDACTED]
(eight cases) Mesto 1/1 - BRUTTO 4180 NETTO 3630 196 x 208
x 12 = 7.7 M³.

25X1 V/S MASHINIMPORT NARYAD ZAKAS [REDACTED] Mesto 93
530

or $\frac{100}{580}$ (20 cases). Brutto: 1800 Netto: 780

Besides large quantities of case goods, reels of cable from the Oberspree Werk, Berlin, were loaded.

3. A steamship from Bremen, about 2,800 tons, with a name that looked like WALRID, loaded sacks, probably sugar.

4. Briquette shipments are active. The following motor vessels have loaded cargoes in the past ten days: ANNEMARIE, about 700 tons [redacted]

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5. Daily loading has been about 800 to 1,200 tons.

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